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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Nabil Hanna

Group Art Unit: 1642

Application Serial No. 09/853,581

Examiner: G. Nickol

Filed: May 14, 2001

Title: SYNERGISTIC COMPOSITION AND METHODS FOR TREATING NEOPLASTIC OR
CANCEROUS GROWTHS AND FOR RESTROING OR BOOSTING HEMATOPOIESIS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In Response to the Restriction/Election Requirement dated August 21, 2002,
Applicants elect with traverse Group I, Claims 23-27, 29, 32-34 drawn to methods of treating
neoplastic diseases. In addition, we elect cervical carcinoma as the species.

The traversal is on the basis that the inventions is generic in nature and that other
neoplastic diseases will also be treatable using adjuvants according to the invention.
Therefore, the claims shall all be examined together.

If the Examiner has any questions in connection with this election, he is respectfully
requested to contact the undersigned so that prosecution may be expedited.

Respectfully submitted,

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